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**DECISION OF THE BOARD OF CONTRACT APPEALS**

March 26, 2001

**Before HOURY, POLLACK, and WESTBROOK, Administrative Judges.**

**Opinion for the Board by Administrative Judge WESTBROOK.**

This appeal arose under contract order No. 43-3142-8-05733 between Computata Systems, Inc. of Bowie, Maryland (Appellant), and the Office of Procurement, Property and Emergency Preparedness of the U. S. Department of Agriculture (Respondent). The contract was for the development and implementation of a Graphical and Real-Time Parking Management System (GRTPMS), a computerized system to monitor and manage parking. The Contracting Officer issued a final decision holding Appellant in breach of contract for failure to supply a source code required under the contract.

The Board has jurisdiction over this timely appeal pursuant to the Contract Disputes Act (CDA), 41 U.S.C. §§ 601-613, as amended. The appeal was originally docketed as an expedited appeal but was

removed from the expedited docket due to Appellant's failure to comply with the shortened time frame for filing the complaint. After the complaint was filed, the Board conducted a telephonic conference with the parties on February 8, 2001. The Government was granted 30 days from its receipt of the complaint to file its answer. During that conference, the Board urged the parties to consider the need for discovery and to initiate it promptly in that event.

On February 28, 2001, the parties executed a Joint Motion to Dismiss with Prejudice, the appeal having been settled. A copy of the Joint Motion was received at the Board March 2, 2001.

**DECISION**

The parties' joint motion is granted and the appeal is hereby dismissed with prejudice.

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**ANNE W. WESTBROOK**  
Administrative Judge

**Concurring:**

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**EDWARD HOURY**  
Administrative Judge

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**HOWARD A. POLLACK**  
Administrative Judge

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